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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

CASE et al.

Serial No.: 09/731,558

Art Unit: 1631

Filing Date: December 6, 2000

Examiner: Unassigned

Title:

METHODS OF USING RANDOMIZED LIBRARIES OF ZINC FINGER PROTEINS FOR THE IDENTIFICATION OF GENE

**FUNCTION** 

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a preliminary amendment in the above patent application.

- \_\_\_ Petition for Extension of Time enclosed.
- \_\_\_ No additional fee is required.
- X Also enclosed: Version with Markings to Show Changes Made; Currently Pending Claims; postcard

No. of Claims After Amendment			Most Claims Previously Paid				Additional Fee		
A. Total Claims	30	-	29	+	1	х	\$18	=	\$18
B. Ind. Claims	1	•	3	II.	0	х	\$80	=	0
C. If amended to contain multiple dependent claims, add 270 \$270 = \$0									

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D. Total Amendment Fee (Total of A, B & C)		18
E. If small entity, 50% reduction of Total Amendment Fee (50% of D)	=	9
F. Total Amendment Fee (D minus E)	=	\$9

<u>X</u>	A check for	\$9	to cover	the extra	claims	fee is	attached.
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: (lug 17, 2001

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